

# OUR LETTER BOX

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Correspondents will please send letters so as to reach us not later than 9 o'clock a.m. Give facts in as few words as possible. We want news in this department, and not advertising notices or political arguments.

## MORSELS FROM MORANBURG.

Items of Interest From One of Mason's Most Picturesque Villages.

The plasterers are at work on Mr. Will Marsh's residence.

Mr. Mackey is living in his new home, though it is not quite finished.

Mrs. Lewis Stevens, who was injured by a cow, was very much worse Saturday.

Mr. C. T. Marsh, who had his ankle injured a few weeks ago, is not able to walk yet.

Miss Emma Huber has returned from a pleasant visit to Miss Daisy L. Day at Ripley.

The ice cream supper given at the Christian Church was largely attended and thoroughly enjoyed by all. The receipts amounted to about \$10.

Mr. Wallie Robinson wears a broad smile these days. The cause is a 10-pound boy which his wife, who was Miss Dee Myall of Maysville, presented to him Saturday morning.

Mr. G. C. Keith had about forty melons stolen Friday night, and Mr. John Breen also had some stolen, the thieves cutting down a row of tobacco to make a road to the river.

## PLUMVILLE PICKINGS.

What Our Good Friends Have Been Doing Since Our Last Report.

Miss Alice Day of Cincinnati is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Day.

Miss Rosa Rogers, who has been quite ill with fever, is convalescing.

Miss Ruth Cruser is visiting her sister, Mrs. William Hord of Clark county.

Mr. E. C. Cobb has been awarded the contract to build a cottage on the Burgie farm.

Mr. A. L. Redman returned home Monday after a week's visit with relatives near Tellerboro.

Everybody here anticipates attending the G. A. R. meeting at Mower's Park next Friday and Saturday.

Miss Bettie Bean arrived home a few days ago from Lexington, where she has been attending school for the past eight months.

Elder T. J. Bowman baptized Mr. Cassius Redman and Miss Belle Slivey in the creek near Maplewood Farm Sunday morning at 1 o'clock.

Mr. Thomas Politt will teach the Plumville School. Misses Maggie and Bettie Bean will teach the Springdale and Bluecreek Schools, respectively.

Elder T. J. Bowman was greeted with a large audience Sunday morning and evening. There were two persons united with the Church at the morning service.

Miss Eva Hancock left Wednesday to spend the remainder of the week with relatives at Maysville. Miss Hancock will return to her home at Bellevue Saturday after about six weeks spent very pleasantly with friends at Orchard Farm and relatives at Maysville.

Miss Nellie Mitchell, who has been counted to her home for several days, is now much better.

The first National Encampment of Spanish-American War volunteers will be held at Washington September 25th and 26th.

Mr. H. C. Smith, Jr., has returned from French Lick Springs, Ind., where he spent several weeks in hopes of regaining his health. His friends will regret to know that his condition is not improved.

Jailer John Jackson died at Owingsville Tuesday. Mr. Jackson was a nominee on a Democratic ticket containing thirteen names, and he is the fourth of those elected on that ticket to die in office.

The 300 saloonists of Louisville have been fined \$12 each for failing to put a 50 cent revenue stamp on their bonds. The Maysville saloon men were better advised and consequently saved all that trouble.

## FAIR DATES.

When Ohio and Kentucky Towns Will Hold Their Annual Races.



The following are the dates for holding fairs in Kentucky and some parts of Ohio, so far as reported:

Lawrenceburg, August 15th-4 days.

Alexandria, August 25-5 days.

Louisville, colored, August 25-5 days.

Germantown, August 25-4 days.

Broadhead, August 25-4 days.

Shelbyville, August 25-4 days.

Springfield, August 25-4 days.

Bardonia, August 25-4 days.

Lagrange, August 30th-3 days.

Florence, August 30th-4 days.

Bilzabettown, September 5th-4 days.

Bowling Green, September 13th-4 days.

Glasgow, September 13th-4 days.

Germantown Colored Fair, Sept. 21st-3 days.

Guthrie, September 27th-4 days.

Horse Cave, September 27th-4 days.

Owensboro, October 3d-5 days.

Cartersburg, O., August 15th-5 days.

Ripley, O., August 30th-4 days.

Ewing, September 6th-4 days.

Manchester, O., September 6th-3 days.

West Union, O., September 12th-4 days.

St. Oliver, September 14th-3 days.

Aberdeen, O., September 28th-4 days.

Hamilton, O., October 2d-6 days.

Georgetown, O., October 3d-4 days.

This country consumed 33,000,000 pounds of tea in 1897, valued at \$12,000,000.

## A Mother Tells How She Saved Her Little Daughter's Life.

I am the mother of eight children and have had a great deal of experience with medicines. Last summer my little daughter had the dysentery in its worst form. We thought she would die. I tried everything I could think of, but nothing seemed to do her any good. I saw by an advertisement in our paper that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was highly recommended and sent and got a bottle at once. It proved to be one of the very best medicines we ever had in the house. It saved my little daughter's life. I am anxious for every mother to know what an excellent medicine it is. Had I known it at first it would have saved me a great deal of anxiety and my little daughter much suffering. Yours truly, Mrs. GEORGE F. BERDICK, Liberty, R. I.

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## THE REDMEN.

All Warriors Are Requested to Be at the Wigwam Thursday Night.



Work in the Warriors Degree Thursday night at 7:30. All members are requested to be in attendance. W. C. PELHAM, Sachem. W. C. WORMALD, C. of R.

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## OPENING OF THE SEASON.

Mon. Aug. 28

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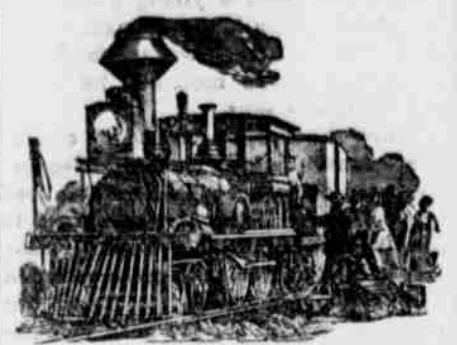
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## RIDING ON THE RAIL!

LOOK HERE FOR DATES AND LOW RATES.



Ripley Fair—Round Trip 25 Cents. For the above occasion the C. and O. will sell round-trip tickets Maysville to Ripley, O., at rate of 25 cents. Tickets good on all regular trains of August 25th, 29th, 30th, 31st and September 1st; limit of tickets September 2d. Free ferry coupons attached to tickets.

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## Cheap Homeseekers' Excursion.

On August 1st and 15th, September 5th and 19th, October 3d and 17th the Missouri Pacific Railway will have on sale at St. Louis round-trip tickets to Denver, Col., at rate of \$36.50, bearing final return limit of September 30th. Stopovers allowed at Pueblo, Colorado Springs and at all other stations between Pueblo and Denver on Westbound trip within going limit of September 19th. On same dates round-trip rate from Cincinnati will be \$47.50. Proportionately low rates will be in effect from all points. You may obtain through tickets embracing these privileges by purchasing them of your local ticket agent. Be sure your ticket reads via the Missouri Pacific Railway (The Colorado Short Line) from St. Louis. For time cards, descriptive pamphlets and further information address, A. A. Gallagher, D. P. A., 408 Vine street, Cincinnati, O.

## Denver and Return.

On September 5th, 6th and 7th Missouri Pacific Railway will have on sale at St. Louis round-trip tickets to Denver, Col., at rate of \$36.50, bearing final return limit of September 30th. Stopovers allowed at Pueblo, Colorado Springs and at all other stations between Pueblo and Denver on Westbound trip within going limit of September 19th. On same dates round-trip rate from Cincinnati will be \$47.50. Proportionately low rates will be in effect from all points. You may obtain through tickets embracing these privileges by purchasing them of your local ticket agent. Be sure your ticket reads via the Missouri Pacific Railway (The Colorado Short Line) from St. Louis. For time cards, descriptive pamphlets and further information address, A. A. Gallagher, D. P. A., 408 Vine street, Cincinnati, O.

## Grand Army National Encampment, Philadelphia, Sept. 4th-9th.

For the above occasion the C. and O. will sell round-trip tickets Maysville to Philadelphia at rate of \$12.50 and \$15.50. The \$12.50 tickets are good for stopover at Washington only, otherwise continuous passage in both directions. The \$15.50 tickets will permit of stopovers in each direction East of Huntington, in addition to stopover at Covington, White Sulphur, Washington and Baltimore. Tickets will be good for return passage without execution, leaving Philadelphia up to and including September 12th, or by depositing ticket with Joint Agent at Philadelphia between September 5th and 9th, both dates inclusive, and on payment of fee of 50 cents return limit may be extended to leave Philadelphia on or before September 30th.

## Attention, G. A. R.!

Take the "Battlefield Route" to the Thirty-third Annual Encampment, to be held at Philadelphia, September 4th to 9th, 1899. The Baltimore and Ohio Southern Railway offers excellent service from the West with solid vestibuled trains, consisting of handsome day coaches, luxurious Pullman Drawingroom Buffet Sleeping, Parlor and Observation cars, and B. and O. S.-W. dining cars. Very low rates will be made from all points and tickets will be on sale September 1st to 4th inclusive, good returning to September 12th. By depositing ticket with the Joint Agent at Philadelphia, between September 5th and 9th, return limit may be extended to September 30th, leaving Philadelphia up to and including September 12th, or by depositing ticket with Joint Agent at Philadelphia between September 5th and 9th, both dates inclusive, and on payment of fee of 50 cents return limit may be extended to leave Philadelphia on or before September 30th.

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## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The cruiser Newark left Acapulco Wednesday for San Diego, Cal.

It is reported that Maurice Grau has engaged Dr. Muck, of Berlin, leader of the German opera in Berlin, for the season, at a salary of \$5,400.

Rev. Dr. Benjamin F. Decosta, rector of the Protestant Episcopal church of St. John the Evangelist, New York, has resigned on account of his advanced years.

The navy department has been notified that the battle ship Alabama is so far along that her builders trial will be made on next Monday, when she will leave Cramps ship yard for a trip down to the capes and back.

Another victory for the American yacht Genesee, in Genesee weather, was the result of the race Wednesday in the Canada's cup series at Toronto. The course Wednesday was nine miles to windward and return.

The National Shortland Reporters' association was organized Wednesday at Chicago. After two days' discussion the stenographers in convention adopted a constitution and bylaws and elected officers.

Gen. Brooke has informed the war department of the death of Private John Rafferty, Company K, 2d Infantry, at Cienfuegos, of typhoid fever, and the death of Salvador Gil, quartermaster's employe at Santiago, of strangled hernia.

M. Labori has decided to prosecute La Croix, one of the leading clerical organs, and La Libre Parole, together with M. Drumont, proprietor and director of the latter paper, personally, for declaring the recent murderous attack upon him a "fake."

Sir Louis Davies, minister of marine and fisheries, will go to London this fall for a conference with the imperial authorities regarding the Alaskan boundary question. A rumor that Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the premier, is also going to London can not be confirmed.

In reply to a cable inquiry from Surgeon General Wyman, Assistant Surgeon Heiser, at Naples, Wednesday cabled the marine hospital bureau that there is absolutely no truth in the report that the plague had appeared at Naples and Palermo.

The Clyde line steamer Onelda, from Wilmington, N. C., for New York, is anchored 15 miles off shore, at Atlantic City, in 14 fathoms of water, with her propeller shaft broken. The tug Pioneer has left the Delaware breakwater to go to the assistance of the disabled steamer.

Gen. Robert St. George Dyrenforth, of Washington, was Wednesday re-elected commander-in-chief of the Union Veterans' union without opposition; deputy commander-in-chief, Gen. George E. Ludlow, of South Dakota; second deputy commander, Gen. W. L. French, of Massachusetts.

## World's Record Broken.

BROCKTON, Mass., Aug. 24.—The feature of the New England circuit bicycler races Wednesday was the breaking of the world's professional two mile paced record by Harry Gibson, of Cincinnati. Gibson rode the distance behind a steam pacing machine in 3:09.4-5, the former record being held by Major Taylor 3:13. Gibson made the first mile in 1:38 and the second in 1:31.

## Leather Manufacturers to Combine.

NEW YORK, Aug. 24.—The tanners of the east and middle west, who have been in this city working for a combination of upper leather manufacturers since August 1, are confident that in a few days their organization will be effected.

## BASEBALL.

Cincinnati, Pittsburgh, Louisville, St. Louis and Chicago Were the Winners on Wednesday.

Clubs	Pitchers	R. H. E.
First game		
Cincinnati—Hawley.....	2 5 5	
Pittsburgh—Lever.....	5 12 1	
Second game		
Cincinnati—Brettenstein.....	6 9 2	
Pittsburgh—Hoffer.....	3 9 1	
First game		
St. Louis—Sudhoff, Powell.....	8 15 1	
Chicago—Griffith.....	7 8 3	
Second game		
St. Louis—McElride, Sudhoff.....	7 8 5	
Chicago—Taylor.....	12 12 3	
Louisville—Wilhelm.....	13 12 1	
Cleveland—Collins.....	8 11 2	

## How They Stand.

Clubs	W. L. P. C.	Clubs	W. L. P. C.
Brockton.....	79 35 627	Chicago.....	56 52 419
Philadelphia.....	52 41 624	Pittsburgh.....	54 53 495
Boston.....	66 41 617	Louisville.....	48 59 449
Baltimore.....	54 41 610	New York.....	43 58 437
St. Louis.....	60 49 550	Washington.....	39 71 339
Cincinnati.....	58 48 547	Cleveland.....	18 63 134

## THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 23. FLOUR—Spring patent, \$3.80; 40 lb. spring fancy, \$3.90; 50 lb. spring family, \$3.10; 25 lb. winter patent, \$3.20; 40 lb. fancy, \$3.05; 50 lb. family, \$2.85; 25 lb. extra, \$1.90; 10 lb. low grade, \$1.20; 25 lb. northwestern rye, \$2.85; 40 lb. city, \$2.00; 25 lb. wheat—Sales: No. 2 red nominal at 71 1/2c. HOGS—Select butchers, \$4.70; 4 lb. fat to good packers, \$4.60; 7 lb. fat to good light, \$4.50; 4 lb. common and roughs, \$4.50; 4 lb. CATTLE—Fair to good shippers, \$4.75; 3 lb. good to choice butchers, \$4.50; 4 lb. fat to medium butchers, \$3.75; 4 lb. common, \$3.15; 3 lb. SHEEP—Extras, \$3.50; 2 1/2 lb. good to choice, \$2.80; 4 lb. common to fair, \$2.00; 2 1/2 lb. LAMBS—Extras, \$5.50; 5 lb. good to choice, \$4.75; 2 1/2 lb. common to fair, \$2.75; 4 lb. VEAL CALVES—Fair to good light, \$6.50; 7 lb. common and large, \$4.50; 2 lb. CHICAGO, Aug. 23. WHEAT—August, not quoted; September, 72 1/2c; 7 lb. December, 74 1/2c; May, 77 1/2c. CORN—August, 21 1/2c; September, 21 1/2c; December, 24c; May, 25c. OATS—August, 20 1/2c; September, 20c; December, 19 1/2c; May, 21 1/2c.

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## SHOES! SHOES!

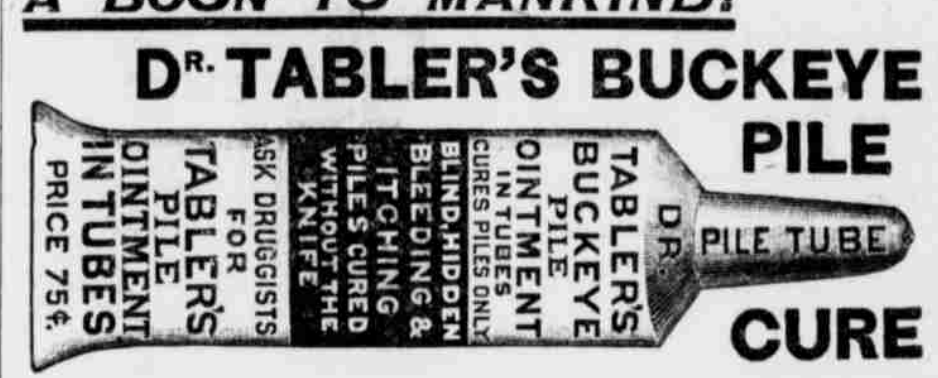
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